INVITATION TO BID

2012-METROPOLITAN HARTSVILLE/TROUSDALE COUNTY EMERGENCY E-911 TOWER METROPOLITAN HARTSVILLE/TROUSDALE COUNTY, TENNESSEE

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Separate sealed bids for 2012-METROPOLITAN HARTSVILLE/TROUSDALE COUNTY EMERGENCY E-911 TOWER will be received by the Metropolitan Hartsville/Trousdale County Government located at 210 Broadway, Hartsville, Tennessee 37074 until 2:00 p.m. local time, on Tuesday, January 20, 2015 and then at said time publicly opened and read aloud.

Project consists of furnishing and installing all labor, materials, equipment, and incidentals necessary for the construction, testing and placing into operation of the 2012-METROPOLITAN HARTSVILLE/TROUSDALE COUNTY EMERGENCY E-911 TOWER and all appurtenances thereto all in accordance with the drawings and specifications.

The Instructions to Bidders, Form of Agreement, Drawings, Specifications, Forms of Bid Bond and of Performance and Payment Bonds, and other bidding instruments may be examined at the Metropolitan Hartsville/Trousdale County Hall and the following locations:

GOODWYN, MILLS AND CAWOOD, INC 3310 West End Avenue, Suite 420 Nashville, Tennessee 37203 Phone: (615) 333-7200

Nashville Contractors Association 7430 Burleson Lane Murfreesboro, Tennessee 37129 Phone: (615) 254-8346

Copies of the bid documents may be obtained at the office of GOODWYN, MILLS AND CAWOOD, INC., upon the NON-REFUNDABLE payment of \$200.00for each set.

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The Owner reserves the right to waive any informality and to reject any or all bids.

All Bidders must be licensed Contractors in the State of Tennessee in strict accordance with State regulations. No bid will be opened unless the outside of the sealed envelope containing the bid provides the following information: the name, license number, the date of the license's expiration, and the classification of the contractors applying to the bid for the prime contract and for electrical, plumbing, heating, ventilation, and air conditioning contracts, except when the bid is in an amount less than twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000). When the bid is less than twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the name of the contractor only may appear on the outside of the envelope containing the bid, and upon opening the envelope, if such bid is in excess of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000), the same shall automatically be disqualified. Prime contractor bidders who are to perform the electrical, plumbing, heating, ventilation and air conditioning must be so designated upon the outside of the envelope. Failure of any bidder to comply therewith shall void such bid and the envelope containing such bid shall not be opened or considered. In the case of joint ventures bids, each party submitting the bid must provide this information. All Bidders shall comply with the Contractors Licensing Act of 1976 and as amended (TCA Title 62). All bidders shall comply with the Tennessee Contractor' License law Section 62-6-119 (Bid documents - Required disclosure by bidders) when submitting bids.

Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract, Section 3, Segregated Facility, Section 109 and E.O. 11246.

All bids must be made out on the Bid Form bound in the contract documents, and the Bid Form should not be detached from the contract documents. Bids will not be opened from Bidders who have not obtained the contract documents from the Engineer.

With the bid, each Bidder must deposit security in the amount of five percent (5%) of the amount of the bid, subject to the conditions stated in the Instructions to Bidders. A Performance Bond and a Payment Bond, each in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract amount will be required for the successful Bidder.

No Bidder may withdraw his bid within sixty (60) days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Honorable Carroll Carman Mayor, Hartsville/Trousdale County